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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability of March 25, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to acknowledge the claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C §119 and receipt of the certified copy of the priority document which was submitted on May 21, 2002.

Copies of the Claim of Priority, cover sheet of the priority document and returned postcard acknowledging receipt of the priority document by the USPTO mailroom are enclosed.

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Applicants in the above-entitled application hereby claim the date of priority under the International Convention of Japanese Patent Application No. 9-242939, filed September 8, 1997, and Japanese Patent Application No. 9-242940, filed September 8, 1997, as acknowledged in the Declaration of this application.

Certified copies of the Japanese Patent Applications are submitted herewith.

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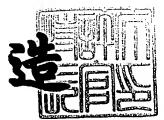
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